OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOUR IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR KOLAR GOLD FIELDS AREA FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1949.

A Rise of 1·4 points.

The cost of Living Index Number for the month of August 1949, works up to 315·4 points recording a rise of 1·4 points against the previous month's figure.

The Index Number of Food Group advanced by 1·3 points to 333·5 owing to a rise in the prices of blackgram dhal, Bangalgram dhal, greengram, sugar, onions, ghee, groundnut oil, chillies and tamarind.

The Index Number of Fuel and House rent groups have remained constant.

The Index Number of Clothing group has advanced by 6·9 points due to a slight rise in the prices of saree, cloth for pyjama and cloth for jacket.

Owing to a fall in the prices of soapnut powder and supari, the index number of Miscellaneous Group has fallen by 1·9 points.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936 =100)

Names of articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	July 1949	August 1949	Index Numbers: July 1949	August 1949
			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
Food.—							
1 Rice ...	Seer measure	3·5	0 2 0	0 6 5	0 6 5	321	321
2 Boiled rice ...	"	36·9	0 2 1	0 5 4	0 5 4	256	256
3 Ragi ...	"	11·1	0 0 11	0 3 2	0 3 2	345	345
4 Blackgram Dhal ...	"	0·4	0 2 11	0 13 5	0 13 8	460	469
5 Tur Dhal ...	"	4·2	0 2 8	0 11 0	0 10 11	413	409
6 Bengalgram Dhal ...	"	0·8	0 1 11	0 14 0	0 14 8	730	765
7 Avare Dhal ...	"	0·6	0 2 1	0 11 10	0 11 6	568	552
8 Greengram ...	"	0·6	0 1 11	0 11 2	0 11 3	583	587
9 Sugar ...	Seer wt.	0·5	0 1 4	0 4 9	0 4 11	356	369
10 Jaggery ...	Viss	2·8	0 3 3	0 15 0	0 15 0	462	462
11 Coffee seeds ...	Wt. Seer	1·8	0 4 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	400	400
12 Fish ...	"	2·1	0 3 6	0 12 0	0 12 0	343	343
13 Meat ...	2 Lbs. wt.	9·0	0 8 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	350	350
14 Milk ...	Seer measure	2·8	0 3 3	0 8 0	0 8 0	246	246
15 Curds ...	"	0·6	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	200	200
16 Onions ...	Viss	0·8	0 1 4	0 6 5	0 6 6	481	488
17 Ghee ...	Seer wt.	1·1	0 6 0	0 15 0	1 0 0	250	267
18 Gingelly oil ...	"	3·2	0 2 0	0 10 11	0 10 6	546	525
19 Cocoanut ...	Each	0·8	0 1 2	0 3 5	0 3 3	293	279
20 Groundnut oil ...	Seer wt.	0·6	0 1 7	0 7 11	0 8 2	500	516
21 Salt ...	Seer measure	1·3	0 1 2	0 1 3	0 1 3	107	107
22 Chillies ...	Viss	4·0	3 7 8	2 12 0	2 14 0	574	600
23 Tamarind ...	"	1·4	0 2 7	0 13 5	0 14 6	519	561
24 Coriander ...	Seer measure	1·2	0 1 4	0 6 0	0 6 0	450	450
25 Garlic ...	Seer wt.	0·6	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 3 8	200	183
26 Sojee ...	Seer measure	0·2	0 2 5	0 7 6	0 7 6	310	310
27 Vegetables ...	Viss	3·8	0 3 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	333	333
28 Ready made coffee ...	Cup	3·2	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 1 0	200	200
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Food Articles ...		...	...	...	...	332·2	333·5
Fuel and Lighting.—							
1 Firewood ...	Maund	75·1	0 2 0	0 6 5	0 6 5	321	321
2 Castor Oil ...	Seer wt.	7·8	0 2 3	0 12 0	0 12 0	533	533
3 Kerosene Oil ...	Bottle	12·1	0 2 3	0 4 6	0 4 6	200	200
4 Match box of 50 sticks.	Dozen	5·0	0 3 9	0 8 6	0 8 6	227	227
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Fuel and Lighting ...		...	...	...	...	318·2	318·2
Clothing—							
1 Dhoties ...	Pair of 8 yards.	9·3	2 1 0	6 4 3	6 4 3	304	304
2 Cloth for Pyjama, etc.	Yard	1·7	0 4 4	0 9 3	0 12 6	213	288
3 Coating ...	"	20·4	0 6 5	0 15 9	0 15 9	245	245
4 Shirting ...	"	14·7	0 5 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	200	200
5 Saries ...	Each	39·4	3 3 0	6 0 0	6 1 0	188	190
6 Cloth for jackets, etc ...	Yard	14·5	0 5 3	0 10 6	0 12 3	200	233
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Clothing ...		...	...	...	...	214·3	221·9
House Rent.—							
1 House Rent ...		100·0	0 10 9	0 10 9	0 10 9	100	100
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—House Rent ...		...	...	...	...	100·0	100

	Names of articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	July 1949	August 1949	Index Numbers: July 1949	August 1949
	Miscellaneous.—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
1	Barber ...	One shave	14·5	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
2	Soap for washing ...	One Bar	20·0	0 4 3	1 4 0	1 4 3	471	476
3	Soapnut powder	Seer wt.	5·2	0 1 1	0 5 8	0 5 6	523	508
4	Supari ...	„	14·1	0 3 3	1 0 0	0 15 6	492	477
5	Beedies ...	Bundle of 25.	15·7	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
6	Travelling expenses ...	.....	6·7	0 4 2	0 4 2	0 4 2	100	100
7	Flowers ...	1 bunch	3·9	0 0 6	0 1 6	0 1 6	300	300
8	Amusements ...	1 show	8·1	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	150	150
9	Charges for grinding ...	2 seers.	6·1	0 0 2	0 0 6	0 0 6	300	300
10	Household necessaries.	Seer wt.	5·7	0 5 0	0 15 7	0 15 7	312	312
		Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
	Index number—Miscellaneous ...		...	...	...	...	317·8	315·9

	Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Index Number: July 1949	August 1949
1	Food ...	70·9	332·2	335·5
2	Fuel and lighting ...	6·2	318·2	318·2
3	Clothing ...	9·1	214·3	221·2
4	House rent ...	2·1	100·0	100·0
5	Miscellaneous ...	11·7	317·8	315·9
	Total ...	100·0	..	...
	Cost of Living Index—Figure ...	...	314·0	315·4

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WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR MYSORE CITY FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 1949.

A fall of 1·0 points.

The cost of Living Index for the month of August 1949, works up to 300·8 points registering a fall of 1·0 points below the previous month's figures.

1. As compared with the previous month's the Index Number of food group declined by 2·2 points due to a fall in the price of vegetables, onions, groundnut oil, garlic and cocoanut.

2. The Index Number of fuel and lighting group went up by 1·0 points due to rise in price of castor oil.

3. The Index Number of clothing group has risen by 3·9 points due to rise in price of dhoties, coating, cloth for jacket and sarees.

4. The Index Number of house-rent group has remained constant.

5. The Index Number of miscellaneous group as declined by 0·2 points due to a slight fall in the price of Supari.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100).

	Names of the Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	July 1949	August 1949	Index Numbers: July 1949	August 1949
	Food—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
1	Raw Rice ...	Seer measure	23·4	0 2 0	0 6 2	0 6 2	308	308
2	Ragi ...	„	17·7	0 1 2	0 3 2	0 3 2	271	271
3	Tur Dhal ...	„	5·5	0 2 9	0 10 7	0 10 10	335	394
4	Avare Dhal ...	„	1·7	0 2 1	0 11 6	0 11 10	552	568
5	Bengalgram Dhal	„	1·6	0 2 0	0 14 3	0 15 8	713	783
6	Greengram ...	„	1·5	0 1 10	0 10 10	0 11 6	591	627
7	Salt ..	„	1·1	0 1 3	0 1 7	0 1 9	127	140
8	Coriander ...	„	1·8	0 1 3	0 5 5	0 5 5	433	433
9	Milk ...	„	3·9	0 4 0	0 6 5	0 6 5	160	160
10	Curds ...	„	2·8	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	150	150
11	Wheat ...	„	1·2	0 2 3	0 6 6	0 6 6	289	289
12	Meat ...	2 lbs. wt.	10·3	0 8 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	450	450
13	Vegetables ...	Viss	5·3	0 2 8	0 7 9	0 5 11	291	222
14	Onions ...	„	1·8	0 1 6	0 7 7	0 6 1	506	406
15	Jaggery ...	„	1·5	0 4 4	1 1 4	1 2 0	400	415
16	Chillies ...	„	3·4	0 7 6	2 12 3	2 13 5	590	606
17	Tamarind ...	„	1·0	0 2 9	0 15 3	0 15 3	555	555
18	Sugar ...	Seer wt.	1·6	0 1 4	0 4 7	0 4 9	344	356
19	Coffee seeds ...	„	2·0	0 5 1	1 6 1	1 6 2	434	436
20	Ghee ...	„	1·5	0 6 9	0 11 7	0 11 10	172	175
21	Groundnut oil ...	„	1·2	0 1 4	0 7 8	0 7 5	575	556
22	Garlic ...	„	0·6	0 2 0	0 4 4	0 4 0	217	200
23	Cocoanut ...	Each	1·3	0 1 2	0 3 7	0 3 6	307	300
24	Ready made coffee	Cup	6·3	0 0 9	0 1 6	0 1 6	200	200
	Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
	Index Number—All Food Articles ...		...	...	...	...	338·0	335·8

Names of the Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	July 1949	August 1949	Index Numbers: July 1949	August 1949
			Rs a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
Fuel and Lighting—							
1 Firewood ...	Maund	54·0	0 2 3	0 5 0	0 5 0	222	222
2 Kerosene Oil ...	Bottle	10·8	0 2 4	0 4 0	0 4 0	171	171
3 Castor Oil ...	Seer wt.	2·8	0 2 3	0 10 11	0 11 8	485	519
4 Matches (50 sticks).	Dozen	2·4	0 3 4	0 8 6	0 8 6	255	255
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Fuel and Lighting		...	...	..	...	224·6	225·6
Clothing—							
1 Dhoties ...	Pair	8·1	2 1 9	5 11 7	5 12 0	271	273
2 Coating	Yard	21·6	0 6 1	1 0 9	1 1 3	275	284
3 Shirting ...	,,	18·3	0 4 3	0 11 10	0 11 8	278	275
4 Cloth for Pyjama, etc.	,,	4·8	0 4 11	0 11 8	0 11 8	237	237
5 Cloth for Jackets, etc.	,,	12·0	0 5 4	1 1 4	1 1 11	325	336
6 Sarees ...	Each	35·2	4 7 0	7 15 10	8 2 0	180	183
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Clothing ...		...	...	...	...	246·0	249·9
House Rent—							
1. House rent ...		100·0	1 7 2	1 7 2	1 7 2	100	100
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—House rent ...		..	...	...	...	100·0	100·0
Miscellaneous—							
1 Barber ...	One shave	12·2	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
2 Washing Soap ...	Bar ...	11·7	0 4 0	1 4 9	1 4 9	519	519
3 Soapnut powder ...	Viss ...	5·4	0 6 2	1 4 8	1 4 9	335	336
4 Supari ...	Seer wt....	11·2	0 3 5	0 14 6	0 14 5	424	422
5 Beedies	Bundle of 25	33·6	0 1 0	0 2 6	0 2 6	250	250
6 Amusements ...	One show	11·5	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	150	150
7 Subscriptions ...	...	9·4	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 11 0	100	100
8 Charges for grinding	Seer measure	5·0	0 0 3	0 0 3	0 0 3	300	300
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Miscellaneous ...		...	...	...	...	276·4	276·2

Groups	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers: July 1949	August 1949
1 Food ...	62·5	338·0	33 ·8
2 Fuel and Lighting ...	9·4	224·6	225·6
3 Clothing ...	8·0	246·0	249·9
4 House Rent ...	3·3	100·0	100·0
5 Miscellaneous ...	16·8	276·4	276·2
Total ...	100·0	...	...
Cost of Living Index Number ...	...	301·8	300·8

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OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CIVIL SUPPLIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

GENERAL PERMIT NO. 1.

Notification No. T. 2494, dated 28th September 1949.

In pursuance of sub-clause (i) of clause 3 of the Cotton Textiles (Control of Movement) Order, 1948 and in supersession of General Permit No, 1 contained in Notification No. T. 4773, dated the 15th March 1949, I hereby notify for public information the following general permit :—

1. For the purposes of this General Permit, Mysore Zone comprises the State of Mysore.

2. *Transport as Personal Luggage.*—Any person may transport or cause to be transported by rail, road, air, sea or inland navigation cloth as part of his personal luggage from any place in Mysore Zone to any other place in that or any other zone.

3. *Transport Within a Zone.*—Any person may transport or cause to be transported by rail, road, air, sea or inland navigation any cloth or yarn from any place in Mysore zone to any other place in the same zone.

"3A. *Transport of Cloth and Yarn Manufactured for Export.*—Any manufacturer or exporter may transport or cause to be transported by rail, road, air, sea or inland navigation any cloth or yarn marked in accordance with t Central Government's Notification No. 67-C.W. (25A.)—4 dated 26th March 1949, from any place in Mysore zone to a port of shipment in the same or any other zone provided :-

(i) that where the cloth or yarn is intended for export by the manufacturer himself, he shall not so transport it or cau it to be transported unless there is a valid export licence he by him on the date of such transport."

4. *Transport under Military Credit Notes.*—Any pers may transport or cause to be transported by rail a consig ment of cloth if such consignment is made under a Milita Credit Note and is booked for transport by rail—

(a) from any place in the Mysore zone to any place or beyond this zone ;

5. *Transport under Free Railway Passes Issued by t Welfare General's Branch.*—Any person may transport cause to be transported by rail, a consignment of cloth such consignment is made on a free railway pass issued b an officer of the Welfare General's Branch competent to iss such passes in connection with the amenities, comforts ar entertainments for Services.